

North Texas Consortium of Schools

Baylor University
Brookhaven College
Collin County Community College
El Centro College
Grayson College
Midwestern State University
North Central Texas College

Southwest Adventist University
Tarleton State University
Tarrant County College
Texas Christian University
Texas Woman's University
Trinity Valley Community College
University of Texas at Arlington

North Texas Consortium

The North Texas Consortium of Schools, led by Dr. Poster at UTA, has been meeting several years regarding pertinent issues. The group worked with the DFW Hospital Council and AHEC developed the community standard for drug testing, background checks and a universal hospital orientation. Each school worked on developing projects for competency testing which will be shared with all Texas schools. TNA is working with the group in order to distribute the information. The Consortium has held three summer institutes for faculty development.

Approximate cost of implementing and maintaining partnership: variable

Grant monies used: none

Expected benefits from partnership:

- schools have contributed for the summer institutes and for the development of the competency projects.

Challenges from partnership:

- none identified

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Partnerships with other Nursing Programs

Weatherford College

North Texas Consortium: North Texas Region

Weatherford College has recently joined the North Texas Consortium. WC will play an active role in both application and usage of Nursing Innovations grant activities with North Texas region. Future increased enrollment and student retention are planned through innovative opportunities currently in the development stage. These include shared simulation and shared faculty.

Approximate cost of implementing and maintaining partnership: Unknown at this time

Grant monies used: Unknown at this time

Expected benefits from partnership:

- Increased enrollments, increased retention, and grant opportunities.

Challenges from partnership: None listed

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